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In re Application of:

Pau et al.

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

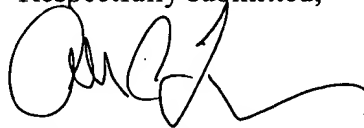
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Sir:

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement of October 1, 2003, applicants elect, without traverse, to prosecute the claims of Group III, claims 40-44 and 46-51. Upon an indication of allowability, applicants will cancel the non-elected claims.

In view of the foregoing, the application should now be in condition for examination on the merits. If the foregoing should raise any questions, the Office is kindly requested to contact applicants' undersigned representative at the address or telephone number given herein.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Allen C. Turner', with a stylized flourish extending to the right.

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